

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Elvio MANSO et al.

Application No.: 10/586,791

Filed: August 2, 2006

Docket No.: 128648

For: FLAT COVERING MATERIAL CONSISTING OF A FILLED THERMOPLASTIC  
POLYURETHANE ELASTOMER

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**